WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- 1. An inverter unit grounding method comprising: connecting a 0V of a circuit system including a sensor circuit for a sensor in an inverter unit for driving a motor with a shield braid of a shielded cable connecting the sensor circuit and the sensor; and connecting the shield braid of the shielded cable to an earth plate outside the inverter unit.
- An inverter unit for driving a motor, comprising:
 a sensor for detecting the state of the motor or a machine using the inverter unit; and
 - a circuit system including a sensor circuit for the sensor, wherein
- the sensor circuit is connected with the sensor by
 15 means of a shielded cable having a shield braid, and
 the shield braid is connected to a OV of the circuit
 system and an earth plate outside the inverter unit.
- 3. The inverter unit according to claim 2, wherein the sensor detects the position or speed of the motor, the magnetic pole position of a rotor of the motor, the temperature of the motor, or the acceleration of the motor, and the sensor circuit processes signals from the sensor.
- A machine using the inverter unit according to claim
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